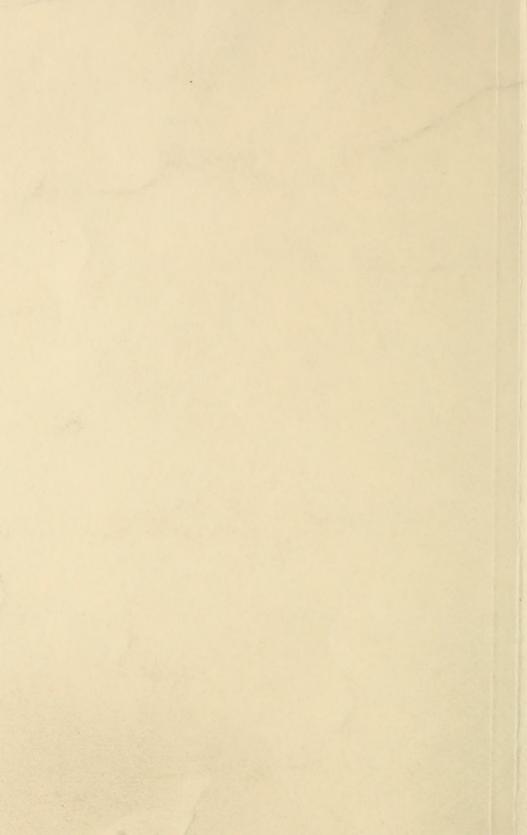
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AUTUMN, 1911 WHOLESALE CATALOGUE OF COLORADO NATIVE PLANTS AND SHRUBS

A Selected List of Successful Specialties for the Catalogue TradeDepartment of Agricultu

D. M. ANDREWS Owner of ROCKMONT NURSERY BOULDER, COLORDO, U. S. A.

Every live, up-to-date nurseryman who grows evergreens, knows and caters to the popular demand for the Queen of Evergreens, the Colorado Blue

Spruce. For the same reason, because it pays, every nurseryman who grows flowers should have a stock of our Colorado Plants.

I have been growing them for nearly twenty years and know the sorts which are best adapted to cultivation, the ones that are different from other hardy flowers, the ones your customers want. What I started to say was, that I am offering you well tested novelties of sterling value at about the price of common sorts. This is unmistakably a rare opportunity to increase and improve your business and renew the interest of your customers. Then consider that I guarantee safe delivery to your nearest post-office or express office with all transportation charges prepaid and included in the price, and you will see that the element of uncertainty is reduced to a minimum. I can refer you to customers in England and elsewhere who received their stock last autumn in perfect condition.

Guarantee. I guarantee safe delivery by express, mail or parcels post to all points in the United States, Canada and Europe. Complaints to receive

attention must be reported promptly.

Prices and Terms. Prices include free delivery by mail, express or parcels post, except as quoted by the thousand, and where stated otherwise. For the convenience of my regular customers I allow a short term of credit, prices net, no discount, settlement due not later than January 1st. Unknown customers will please send cash with first order.

The most favorable time for exporting is in autumn, when the plants are completely dormant. Varieties which have to be collected from the higher altitudes must be ordered early, as snows prevent late collecting. For this reason I would urge my European customers to anticipate as fully as possible their requirements for the season, and send in their orders by return

mail.

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Culture. All the plants offered in this catalogue are exceedingly hardy and are well suited for ordinary out-door culture and may be wintered according to the method required by local conditions for other hardy perennials. However, to bring them into the best condition for spring sales, I advise potting them immediately in small pots, keeping them in a low temperature with little moisture; just sufficient to encourage root action without forcing a premature growth.

Special Notice. For a number of years I collected a variety of seeds of native plants and shrubs, but more recently it has become necessary to discontinue this part of my work, and I do not expect to offer any seeds hereafter. The list herewith, of Colorado Mountain flowers and shrubs is the only

offering I shall make of native plants this season.

Price per 10 per 100 Aconitum Columbianum, 3—4 ft., early flowering, blue Actaea arguta, Red-fruited Baneberry, 2 ft. \$0.75 \$6,00 Allionia hirsuta, 2 ft., purplish flowers and involucre, related to the Four-O'Clock Anemone Patens Nutt., Pasque Flower, very early, large lavender-tinted flowers. (\$25.00 per 1,000) .75

4.00 Anemone globosa, flowers small, bright red 1.00 7.50

Price pe Aquilegia coerulea, Rocky Mountain Columbine, the State flower	r 10	per 100
of Colorado, and the most superb of Columbines: colors		
lavender-blue with white petals, the flower often four and-		
half inches across. All our stock is absolutely true, not hy-		
bridized; fine transplanted 1 Columbine, same, but collected roots, \$4.50 per 100, \$35.00	.00	6.50
per 1,000.		
Asclepias incarnata, Rose Milkweed, 3-5 ft., the Colorado		
variety blooms about two weeks earlier than the eastern		
form and has a much finer color Aster laevis, Porteri, commutatus, either sort	.00	6.00
Bigelovia graveolens, Plumed Goldenrod, 3 ft., large golden	.75	5.00
plumes bourn at the end of every branch; a half-shrubby		
plant, succeeds best in well drained soil	.25	10.00
Brickellia grandiflora, Tassel Flower, 2 feet; beautiful droop-	PT 8	
ing tassels in terminal panicles CACTUS, HARDY SPECIES. Cactus plants are collected to or-	.75	5.50
der only; order early. No less than 50 at the hundred		
rate. The price per hundred does not include free delivery.		
I advise shipping Cactus by express or freight and when		
so ordered larger plants will be furnished. Cactus Missouriensis	1 50	10.00
Cacus viviparus	2.50	10.00
Echinocactus Simpsoni	00.9	10.00
Echinocactus Simpsoni, "Perpetual Snow"	1.00	30.00
Echinocereus viridiflorus	1.25	6.00
Opuntia arenaria		5.00
Opuntia Camanchica Opuntia mesacantha	1.25	5.00 5.00
Opuntia phaeacantha major	2.00	6.00
Opuntia polyacantha	1.50	5.00
Opuntia polyacantha albispina, white spined	1.50	6.00
Calirrhoe involucrata, Poppy Mallow, trailing, with showy		
crimson flowers all summer. Calochortus Gunnisoni, Mariposa Lily. Very large flowered	1.00	
and the hardiest species; perianth white, stamens and		
center greenish yellow, blotched purplish	.50	3.50
Caltha rotundifolia, very different from the yellow Cowslip		
or Marsh Marigold of the east; flowers very large, pure		
white or bluish, blooms very early and frequently again in autumn; plant of refined appearance and succeeds equal-		
	1.00	6.50
Campanula rotundifolia, Harebell. A free and persistent bloomer.		
	1.00	5.50
Castilleja acuminata, Painted Cup, scarlet, very showy perennial species	1.00	6.00
Claytonia multicaulis, Spring Beauty, the largest flowered and	1.00	0.00
finest of the genus, one corm producing a great many stems.	.50	3.00
Clematis coccinea, a climbing herbaceous vine with showy		
scarlet flowers all summer Clematis Douglasii, 1 ft., a dwarf bushy sort with deep purple	1.00	8.00
	1.00	6.00
Clematis Fremontii, a rare species resembling Douglasii, but	2.00	
with large simple foliage	1.50	
Clematis ligusticifolia, Western Virgin's Bower. A hardy		
graceful climber of rapid growth, more showy in bloom	1.50	
and in seed than the eastern species Coreopsis palmata, 1 ft., flowers deep yellow, handsome pal-	1.50	
mate foliage	.75	
Coreopsis tripteris, 4 to 6 feet, slender and graceful	1.50	
Dodecatheon radicatum, Shooting Star, flowers deep rose color, resembling Cyclamen; a small plant but very showy	.50	2.50
Erythronium parviflorum, two or three-flowered, perianth	.50	2.50
bright yellow with greenish base, three or four inches		
broad but soon recurved	.75	5.00
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Aspidium Felix-Mas	.75 1.00	
Aspidium Felix-Mas, large roots, not prepaid Cheilanthes Fendleri	.75	
Crypogramme archrosticoides	1.00	
Woodsia scopulina	.75	4.50

Price pe	r 10	ner 100
Gentiana Andrewsii, Closed Gentian. Showy blue flowers and one of the best for cultivation	.25	8.00
Gentiana Bigelovii, Clustered Gentian. Many stemmed, flowers clear blue	.00	6.00
Gentiana Parryi A remarkably showy Gentian with large open flowers of most intense blue 1	.50	10.00
Geranium Fremontii, forming dense clumps, flowers lilac or purple	.75	5.00
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plant three feet tall, with very large light yellow flowers		
	1.00	8.00
Helianthus Maximiliani, Nuttallii, and scaberrimus; three native Sunflowers which are distinct and desiarble; either sort	.75	5.00
Humulus lupulus Neo-Mexicanus, Western Hop Vine. Foliage broad and deeply cut; in this respect superior to the east-		
Iris Missouriensis. A slender early native, resembling the Si-	1.25	8.00
berian iris, having large flowers of pale clear lavender to lavender blue, variously penciled with deeper veins; very	75	4.00
beautiful and easily grown (\$30.00 per 1,000) Leucocrinum montanum, Sand Lily. Flowers snow white, fra-	.75	4.00
grant, from a rosette of grass-like foliage; early spring Liatris ligulistylis, a rare Colorado plant with large rose-colored	.75	4.00
tassel-like heads in a branching raceme a foot tall; the finest of all and especially desirable from its low-growing	1 50	
Liatris punctata. Another dwarf sort with slender racemes a	1.50	4.00
foot tall (\$25.00 per 1,000) Lithospermum albicans, slender, with whitish foliage and light yellow flowers	1.25	4.00
Lithospermum linearifolium, low and spreading, flowers pale	1.25	
Lithospermum multiflorum, Puccoon. Deep yellow bell-shaped flowers in branching panicles, the older plants forming very	1.20	
	1.00	6.00
tinct and showy plants of the Mallow family; of dwarf habit, only six inches tall, with silvery foliage and racemes of		
scarlet flowers; is not weed-like in habit or appearance \$30.00 per 1,000)	.75	4.00
Mertensia ciliata. Tall growing, smooth bluish foliage, myriads of small blue flowers	.75	6.00
Mertensia lanceolata, Prairie Bluebell, a smaller plant with larger drooping bells, remaining a long time in bloom	.75	5.00
Mertensia papillosa. A mountain form resembling the last but with narrower foliage and more compact flower clusters	.75	5.00
Monarda Ramaleyi. This western form appears to be dwarfer than the eastern, with large flower heads the color of Red		
Clover Oenothera brachycarpa, Yellow Evening Primrose. A dwarf	.75	5.00
plant consisting of a rosette of narrow foliage, producing magnificent yellow flowers four inches across, which turn		
to orange scarlet; a remarkably fine perennial Cenothera caespitosa, White Evening Primrose. Similar in	.75	5.00
habit to the last but with rather larger pure white flowers which turn to rose pink in fading. These two Evening Prim-		
roses are unique in their rosette-like habit and have a long blooming season (\$25.00 per 1,000)	.75	3.00
	1.00	6.00
	1.00	6.00
Oxytropis hybrida, a very fine assortment of hybrid or varying forms, the colors ranging from white to lilac, rose, purple,	1.00	6.00
crimson, etc. Petalostemon oligophyllum, White Bush-clover, slender stems with several white flower heads	.75	5.00
Petalostemon tenuifolium, similar to the last but with purple		5.00

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flowers	-	per 100
Pentsemon accuminatus, 1 ft., one-sided racemes of deep-lilac flowers; a very distinct shade	.75	5.00
Pentstemon alpinus, 1 ft., flowers large and showy, in a dense raceme, very deep blue or purplish blue	1.00	5.00
Penstemon coeruleus, 1 ft., flowers in dense racemes, a remarkable shade of sky-blue, sometimes rose tinted but never	1.00	6.00
purple	.75	5.00
Pentstemon unilateralis, 2—3 ft., very long one-sided racemes of purple flowers, light and dark shades, very showy	.75	E 00
Primula Parryi, 1 ft., remarkably luxuriant foliage, flowers crimson with a yellow star, bourn in large showy umbels: grows	.10	5.00
along sub-alpine streams in the edge of the water Ruellia ciliosa, a hardy perennial with flowers resembling Pe	1.50	10.00
tunia Salvia azurea grandiflora, Flowering Sage. 3—4 feet, pale blue	1.00	8.00
flowers in early autumn; very fine for cutting Salvia Pitcheri, seems identical to the last, execpt that the	.75	6.00
flowers are of a deep indigo blue and appear about two or		
three weeks later; one of the grandest blue flowers for cutting and thrives everywhere	1.00	9.00
Sedum rhodanthum, 1 ft., flowers rose pink in clusters terminating the leafy stems	1.00	8.00
Sidalcea oregana, 2—3 ft., long racemes of showy rose colored	1.50	
flowers Solidago Missouriensis, 1 ft., one-sided panicles of bright gol-	1.00	6.00
den yellow flowers; the earliest sort, blooms in June, Solidago rigida, 2 ft., flat-topped panicles of very large flower	.75	5.00
heads	.75	4.00
Solidago spectabilis, 2 ft., flowers arranged in long and narrow raceme-like panicles, very fragrant, with smooth foliage; I		
consider this the finest of all Golden-Rods	.75	6.00
Thalictrum Fendleri, Polygamum, either sort Trollius albiflorus, the only white Globe Flower; does best in a	1.00	
peaty soil with partial shade; flowers as large as other sorts,		
opening creamy white, fading to pure white Tradescantia, brevecaule, brevecaule rubra, occidentalis, reflexa	1.50	12.00
and Virginica alba: five distinct sorts, either sort	.75	
Viola Nuttallii, Yellow Violet	.75	6.00
Viola cognata, and pedatifida, either sort Yucca glauca, the hardiest species, stiff evergreen foliage,	.75	4.00
white or purple-tinted flowers; can be grown in dry, bleak		
or exposed places but thrives best in good soil, transplanted		
(per 100, not prepaid, \$8.00)	1.50	
COLORADO NATIVE SHRUBS. The price of shrubs does not include free delivery. This stock is too large for mail or		
parcels post and should be ordered by express or freight		
For descriptions, see catalogue.	nor 10	per 100
Berberis repens, collected, (\$25.00 per 1,000)		\$3.00
Celtis reticulata, Tr., 6—8 ft		20.00
Cercocarpus parvifolius, coll., 2—3 ft.,	1.50	10.00
Cornus stolonifera Coloradensis, coll., 2—3 ft.,	1.50	$10.00 \\ 12.00$
Holodiscus dumosus, coll., 2—3 ft.,		15.00
Jamesia Americana coll. 1—2 ft	1.50	10.00
Lonicera involucrata, coll., 1—2 ft.,	.1.00	8.00
Opulaster glabratus, coll., 1—2 ft.,	1.75	5.00 10.00
Opulaster Ramaleyi, coll., 2—3 ft.,	1.25	10.00
Prunus Melanocarpa, 2—4 ft	1.00	9.00
Rhus glabra minor. 2—3 ft	. 2.00	0.50
Rosa Arkansana, coll., (\$28.00 per 1,000)	1.00	3.50 6.00
Rosa Woodsii, coll., 2—4 ft.,	1.50	12.00
Ribes inerme. Wild Goosberry	1.00	6.00
Ribes saxosum Wild Gooseberry	1.00	5.00
Rubus deliciosus coll. 2—3 ft	1.00	5.00 5.00
Salix fluviatilis, 3-5 ft	75	4.00
Symphoricarpos occidentalis (\$30.00 per 1,000)	.75	4.00